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COUNCIL CONSIDER THE STRAY CHICKEN TOPIC

Large Attendance Of Rate-Payers; Village Is To Build New Barracks

The special meeting of the council held at the office of the secretary on Monday evening was of the popular variety. This was on account of the matter of stray chickens being brought up. It is a long story but the gist of it is that the village council passed a by-law in the spring prohibiting, among other things, chickens from the freedom of the village. The owners had to have them securely penned up. The bylaw suffered the disregard and neglect bylaws usually do and practically no notice was ever taken of it. Of late, however, the council have received complaints to the effect that stray chickens were a nuisance to property. The owners on the other hand, pointed out to the chickens were out all spring and summer and there was no valid reason for shutting them up in the fall, especially when wheat was being hauled into town, and there was always some falling to the ground. So the council decided to meet and consider what to do. They heard a pro and con of the public gathering and on councillor Butchart's motion it was decided to circulate a petition to all the ratepayers and to abide by the decision. It should be mentioned that the pro-chickenites presented a petition at the council meeting, which was signed by a number of people, asking that the bylaw be rescinded between the months of September and March inclusive.

Other business of the meeting was the consideration of the erection of a barracks or a barracks and house for the provincial police. The question was whether the council should erect a 18 x 24 place for police barracks and office at the cost of about $500, to be rented at $12 per month or whether they should erect a five-roomed building at a cost of not less than $1,500 to be rented at $20 per month. As the ratepayers were present they were asked for opinions, and it was decided to build just the barracks and office on the fire hall site, to be rented at $12 per month. It was thought that as there was no guarantee that the police man would be stationed here for any length of time, the council were taking a risk by building without the prospects of a lease for any length of time. The offer of $20 a month rent was also considered too small for the outlay.

The name of H. Myers, Vulcan, appears in the casualty list of September 21st, as having been gassed. No particulars are to hand.

The Rev. H. A. Haddon of Champion has received a call from the Protestant Episcopal Church at New Westminster, B. C., and will leave to take up his new duties within the next few days.

Mr. H. M. Clark was taken ill on Saturday and it was thought that he would have to be taken to the hospital at Calgary. Fortunately the trouble passed quickly away.

Mr. Dance of Kingsmill, Ont., and Mrs. Sweet and her son, John, also of Kingsmill, who have been visiting in Vulcan, leave tomorrow for their homes.

Operations on the erection of Mr. F. Anderson's new residence are being rushed to completion, and at the present rate of going it will not be long before he moves to Neptune Street.

Miss C. E. Davis, of the Bank of Commerce staff, received a telegram from the States recently to say that her mother, Mrs. T. M. Davis, was very ill, and she left on an early train.

Floyd Atkinson made a trip to his brother's farm near Barons last Sunday and on his return encountered hard luck. His "bus" quit on him and he had to stop over night in a desolate shack which happened to be near as the night was a rainy one. He arrived safe and sound on the morning train to Vulcan.

The Edmonton Bulletin of recent date contains an advertisement announcing that "Harry Mullens of High River was selling forty head of good chunky horses to farmers of Edmonton district. High River horses have a reputation throughout Alberta that is hard to beat and no doubt Harry will sell them right of the bat.

BABY WELFARE INSTITUTE

The Rev. A. R. Schrag for some time past has been trying to secure the services of an expert along the lines of Baby Welfare. His efforts have been crowned with success in securing the Rev. S. E. Bishop of Edmonton, who is the secretary of Child Welfare work in connection with the Alberta Social Service League.

The Institution will be held at the Vulcan Church on Monday, October 7th, whilst on Sunday October 6th Mr. Bishop will speak along these lines. Drs. Knowles and Brown will give addresses at the meeting on Monday and there will be a clinic. Detailed announcements of the Institute will appear in the next issue of the Advocate. It is earnestly urged that all mothers both from the village and the country will be in attendance. These Institutes prove to be very helpful, and largely attended in Edmonton and Calgary. They are free, and practical.

RALLY DAY SERVICE

Throughout Canada the Churches are observing on a Sunday morning service, September 29th, a rallying of their forces for the Fall and winter work, especially as it centres about a religious education. The local church here are holding a special Rally Day on Sunday morning, and invitations have been issued through the mail especially to those mothers whose children are attending the Sunday school. However, it is expected that a very large attendance of Vulcan people will be present at the interesting service put on by the children.

VULCAN ANNUAL RED CROSS MEETING

The annual meeting of the Vulcan branch of the Red Cross Society will be held at the Oddfellows hall on Monday evening, September 30th, at half past eight.

The meeting is for the purpose of hearing the report of the past year's activities, and the electing of officers for the coming year, and it is hoped that as many as possible will be in attendance.

REID HILL ANNUAL RED CROSS MEETING

The annual meeting of the Reid Hill Red Cross Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Hemingway on Friday, October 4th. As this is a meeting of much importance it is hoped that as many of the district as possible will be in attendance. The meeting will commence at 2 o'clock.

The last meeting of the Society was held at the home of Geraint Clifford last Thursday.

Don't forget the big stampede on Wednesday, October 2nd.

W. C. Bryan, superintendent of the Provincial Police for the province of Alberta was in town last week end.

Mr. T. A. Lawrance of Chiliwak, B. C., is visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Mr. N. Lawrence had a valuable cow killed on the crossing during the past few days.

Mr. J. E. Davis, principal of the Vulcan school, has returned from Hearne, Sask.

The services at the Vulcan church on Sunday were both well attended. The choir rendered several selections.

Mrs. A. G. Spooner was taken ill last week, being confined to her bed under the care of a nurse.

Ross Walker, who is in Calgary, leaves today for the east where he will go into training to enter the aviation service at a pilot.

Mr. C. E. Adams, who has charge of this district under the Victory Loan campaign, was in town yesterday. He was perfecting the local organization for the coming drive. He reports that despite the bad crops, the outlook throughout the High River district is very good. People are realizing that the Victory Loan offers an excellent investment.

A WAR BARRICADE—A sample of the hastily constructed barricades used in close fighting. This was photographed in Chateau-Thierry just after the German evacuation of that town.

P. BURNS HAS SOLD WALTER INGS RANCH

The Walter Ings' ranch, one of the largest and finest range properties of the province, has been turned over to Judge Mayor of New York city by P. Burns, and it will be stocked, it is understood, with large herds of thoroughbred livestock.

Mr. Burns does not disclose the price at which the property has been exchanged. He purchased it but a short time for himself. It is his under standing that Judge Mayer has purchased it as an investment.

The Ings' ranch is situated just west of High River, and is considered to be one of the finest of the foothills properties of its kind. It is already stocked with large herds, but these, it is understood will be increased and more of "blooded" type introduced.

Judge Mayer was in Alberta some weeks ago and it is probable that he made up his mind at that time to make an investment here. He is reputed a very wealthy man.

THE PRO-CHICKENITES WIN ON THE PETITION

In keeping with the council's decision that the feeling of the ratepayers should be obtained on the matter of the chicken dispute, Mr. Watt started off round town yesterday armed with a petition to get names and opinions as to whether the chickens should or should not be presented with the freedom of the village. Up to this morning fifty-one names decorated the petition the vast majority of them being for the affirmative. Of 51 votes 45 were for allowing the chickens out while only 6 were against.

So the birds can do what they like now. The only thing to bear in mind however, is that this will only last until the garden season comes around again. When that gladsome time is with us once more the chickens will have to be shut up. We hope so, at least, for the whole trouble has been brought about through the non-enforcement of the bylaw this year.

PREPARATIONS BEING MADE FOR STAMPEDE

Is Going To Be A Day Of The Real Wild West Kind; Dance At Night

The big Stampede which is to be held on Wednesday next, October 2nd, is going to be a first-rate affair. Everything is being done to make it a success and unusual interest is being evinced by all those who are interested in things appertaining to the wild west. Secretary S. C. Stewart has spent all this week in an auto about the country advertising it and looking up entries and bad horses. He has donehis share in providing top liners. The management are confident of a big crowd to see one of the best shows staged in the south of the province for some time past.

In the evening there will be a big dance at the Opera House. Klebe's celebrated 5-piece orchestra will supply the music and a good time is assured.

NO STRAW TO BE BURNED

Owing to a request that we do do so, we publish the following extract from an Order-in-council regarding the prohibition of burning straw in the western provinces owing to the shortage of feed:

No stack of straw remaining from the crops of last year or the product of the crops of the present year, situate either in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, shall be burned or otherwise destroyed without the written permission of the Deputy Minister of Agriculture for the province in which the straw is situate.

Any person violating the provisions of this regulation shall be liable, on summary conviction, under the provisions of Part XV of the Criminal Code to a fine of not less than ten dollars and not exceeding one hundred dollars or imprisonment for any term not exceeding thirty days, or to both fine and imprisonment.

L.U.B.A. TO RESUME AGAIN

The young people of the town are invited, irrespective of denominational affiliations to the L.U.B.A. class meeting at the Vulcan Church on Friday night of this week, for planning the fall and winter work.

This class has been a very happy one in social and Red Cross work during the past year, and they look forward to a greater period of activity during the coming months. It will be remembered that they put on as their literary efforts two successful plays last year, "The Minister's Bride" and "The Village Doctor." No doubt they will make another attempt along this line with every assurance of popular acceptance.

What about the gasoline situation locally in order that the request for saving gasoline may be carried out?

On enquiries we understand that the majority of garage owners in Vulcan are quite willing to close down on the sale of gasoline, parts and repairs on Sundays. There is, however, a fly in the ointment, and a large one at that. One of the owners has not yet realized the situation even from a patriotic standpoint and holds out against the idea of doing anything to conserve the much required gasoline. How long he will hold out cannot be stated, but it is hoped that he will see the light and that his patriotism will grow to take a larger place than his pocket.

The objector is known to a large number of car owners who are surprised at the stand he has taken. They themselves are quite willing to help all they can, and look for equal support and backbone on the part of the garage owner. Let us all pull together.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Henry and daughter and Miss Dora Crosby leave tomorrow for Portland, Ore, where they will reside for the winter. They are making the journey by automobile. Their residence has been taken by Mrs. C. D. Mason of Ensign for the winter.

HOSPITAL QUESTION IS DISCUSSED AT MEETING

Scheme Is Explained, District Canvassers To Start To Work At Once

The hospital question was laid before the ratepayers at a meeting held last evening. Mr. A. J. Flood, who was in Edmonton last week, called at the department and gained full particulars as to the method of procedure. This information was also given at the meeting and the matter fully discussed.

It is necessary that there be a two-thirds majority from the district before the department will consider the petition. In order that the feeling may be ascertained the hospital district around Vulcan has been split up into districts and assigned to canvassers who will petition the residents therein.

The following is the list of districts and petitioners:

16-22 S. B. Brown and D. Berringer, 16-25 D. H. Galbraith and A.R. Schrag 16-24G. L. Ecker and E. J. Charters, 16-22 L. W. Laws and W. F. Jennejohn 16-21 and w 17-21 C. Fitzpatrick, D. C. Jones, 17-22 P. Norton, Dr. Knowles 17-23 O. L. McPherson, 17-24 C. Hay, W. A. Howes, 17-25 E. E. MacIntosh, P. McIntyre, 17-26 W. E. Shultz, C.S. Hall, Reeves, 18-23 D. Sinclair, A. M. Trail, 18-23c Northcott, G. M. Whicher, 19-22 R. E. House, 19-24 M. L. Gordon, S. Washburn, 19-25 C. Campbell, W. Torgerson, town J. A. Lindsay G. W. Buck, W. H. Grant. The district of 19-23 has not yet had anyone assigned to it.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION

A convention of the teachers of the inspectorates of Calgary, High River, Three Hills and the western part of Bassano, will be held in Calgary on the 10th and 11th of October, 1918.

All teachers are entitled to attend the Convention for two days without loss of salary.

General sessions will be held Thursday morning, Friday morning and afternoon, at which address on educational topics will be given, and business transacted.

On Thursday afternoon the following Sections will meet:

1. Rural Section
2. High School Section
3. Senior Public School (vi, vii, viii)
4. Intermediate Public School (iv,v)
5. Junior Public School (ii, iii)
6. Primary Section (i)
7. Manual and Household Arts.

Each section is in charge of a committee, who are preparing a program for the afternoon which will be helpful and interesting to all.

On Friday morning a discussion will take place on the advisability of pooling railwayfares to the annual convention of the Alberta Educational Association, held during Easter week each year. A vote of the teachers will be taken at the close of the discussion period.

A full program will be ready for distribution at the opening of the Convention. A large attendance is anticipated.

In addition to the local speakers the Convention will be addressed by the Hon. Geo. P. Smith, and Prof. W. F. Osborne, of Winnipeg.

THE VULCAN EXCHANGE

At this time of the year, as people are preparing for the winter months, they always run across articles that they don't need any longer, and there are thousands of other things that they could use, so make a list of the articles you are through with and leave them with the C. B. Shimp Land Co. as Messrs Shimp and Rebbe will hold another of their popular auction sales in the near future, and what you do not need at the present time there is always someone else who does, and vise versa. They have a pretty good list at the present time, and you will do well to get your list in as early as possible, and they will notify you when to have the things ready. Watch the Advocate for dates. adv.1

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keister, of Dayton, Ohio, are in town this week. Mr. Keister is here looking after his farming interests, which are in the Reid Hill district.

METHODIST DISTRICT MEETING AT BLACKIE

On Tuesday of last week a gathering of the High River District of the Methodist church was held at Blackie to plan for the fall and winter's work. Those present were G. W. Mack and H. E. Gordon, High River, H. Coates and C. G. Bolus, Blackie; H. R.Haddon W. S. Philpot, W. Ulisich, P. H. Maynard of Champion, W. E. Dean and J. Norman, Carmangay; S. H. Irving of Cayley and S. S. Peat of Parkland.

The only change in the district is the resignation of H. R. Haddon of Champion to be replaced by Rev. Fred Cook, one of the Alberta ministers who has returned from France after a long service overseas.

No point on the High River District receives any missionary money to help pay its ministers and so well pleased were all with this year's term that not one suggested asking for aid, even the present year is a good one. Not only has the district became self-supporting it is forging ahead every year in the matter of giving to carry the Gospel to others. In 1916-17 the seven circuits, composing the High River District, raised $1448 for missions; next year 1917-18, the district became self-supporting,saving the missionary society in the neighborhood of $1600, and, in addition to this, contributed over 2,000 to missions. This year, 1918-19, the district is aiming to raise $2,500 for missions.

The other developments of the church are well maintained. It has been arranged to hold three Sunday School Institutes this fall and Evangelistic services at several points.

GIVE YOUR COUNTRY A LEG UP—SAVE!

Canadian patriotism demands the practice of thrift by all her sons. The men who are holding the lines at home are they who are making it easy for the business of the country to go on with little jar to its mechanism. The steady pulling together of all citizens in the production of goods and in the conservation of all field crops makes the thrifty nation. Saving on the part of our citizens is going to be the greatest insurance we will have in Canada against a period of depression after the war. The combined capital of the individuals who make the country will form a fund of sufficient power to drive business along in a most satisfying way in spite of the prevailing hard times of such a period.

The saving man is therefore a real patriot. He has Canada's interests fundamentally at heart. May his tribe increase in these days when wealth is piling up under the spur of war-time efforts. Save because it hits both ways. It is a high form of patriotism. And it gives one's country a leg up in a critical time. Put by that extra dollarnow. The long procession of thrifty dollars will make a line that will not waver—Hindenburg or no Hindenburg.

REID HILL W. I. MEETING

The next meeting of the Reid Hill Women's Institute will be held on Wednesday, October 9th, at the home of Mrs. C. M. Greenlee, instead of on October 2nd, as has been previously announced. The change in the date is on account of the Stampede at Vulcan on October 2nd. Many of the members desire to be in Vulcan on that day, so the meeting has been postponed for one week.

The business at the meeting will be the packing of boxes to be sent overseas to the boys in the army. All ladies are asked to be present and to bring provisions to be sent and boxes to pack them in. An invitation is also extended to the men to be present. They can always be useful where parcels have to be packed. On the same afternoon a special collection will be made on behalf of the French Red Cross Society, so everybody is asked to be present and do what they can in providing comforts for the soldiers and money for the Red Cross Society of our gallant Allies.

The Beaver Lumber Co. at Brant will rise from its ashes and be a larger and better equipped institution then formerly. The present plans are to rebuild as quickly as possible and with an improved design of plant.

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THE UNAVAILING PEACE ATTEMPT

Everybody expected that the recent Teutonic attempts at peace would be turned down, everybody outside the enemy countries, that is, for there must have been rather more than a forlorn hope there that some attempt at settlement might be made. They saw the time as ripe for discussion of the matter. Everything else was forgotten and all they anticipated was peace. Their attitude was that of people who look forword only.

Had the Allies the same focussed vision they would in probability accept the invitation, but while looking to the future they have also the past in mind, the period in which Germany committed her outrages against civilization, and for which she must make reparation if the war is to carry out its purpose. Germany would fain blind her enemies to this fact, and talks loudly about a world weary of war and longing for a lasting peace, but she is greatly mistaken if she imagines that she can lure her enemies into a false peace with the account still unsettled, and the simultaneous and parallel answers of all the Allied nations should go far to remove this mistake in future. She is right when she says that the world is war-weary and longing for peace, but wrong in thinking that the Allies will come to terms on conditions favourable to a continuance of military regime and pressure. In considering the possibilities of peace we all continue to consider also the crime against Belgium, treachery to Russia, foul mismanagement of the German colonies, the sinking of helpless non-combatants, the bombing of hospitals and scores of other inhumanities against the peace of the world. These things are the background before which the Kaiser would draw his offer of peace, but these are the things we cannot forget and cannot forgive. There must be reparation and justice, there must be fair dealing and a world made safe for the people of the earth, and until these conditions are brought about by the complete defeat of the system which would legalize horror, no peace offensive is availing. Although the promise of victory for the Allies is today brighter than ever the way we tread may contain disappointment and reverse but we must go through with it if we are to attain the end set before us, which it victory.

THE LOSS OF FRUIT AND LABOR

The Canada Food Board has received rom any complaints about the defective sealers sold throughout the country this year that it is asking those who have lost thereby to notify the Board as to their loss and the matter will be taken up. Evidently a lot of fruit has spoiled and housewives who have been preparing for a seige under the high cost of living find most of their labor of no avail.

The preserving of fruits and vegetables, so largely boosted as a war measure, has been going on in almost every home despite the price of fruit and the scarcity of sugar. And having surmounted these obstacles the careful canners find all their expenditure of money and time of no avail because the sealers are not airtight.

One can only hazard a guess as to the why and wherefore, but the most likely solution is that the manufacturers, under the pressure of an enlarged market, ventured to turn out greater quantities of sealers with the almost certain result that they are defective. The case probably represents another instance of where those who would conserve are at the mercy of those who would make money. Quality has been sacrificed for quantity. When similar methods were employed in the matter of rifles, binoculars and soldiers' kits it was called profiteering, and it is interesting to speculate whether this instance will come under the same heading.

THE FIXED IDEA

It is the dominant idea that keys your consciousness and rules your conduct.

For instance, Rockefeller has the dominant idea of wealth. All his life his one dominant idea has been a centre of power within his consciousness. Around this idea has been gathered all his power of expression until he has become a genius in that line of activity. Making money is with Rockefeller what are, genius, poetry, invention would be to another.

Others acquire the poverty consciousness, which is easily developed because so many are endowed by poverty and the conditions of present day society favor its development. Yet poverty is very largely a state of consciousness induced by self-distrust, self-hypnotism and a belief in one's own lack of power to deal with circumstances, which belief leads to the inhibition of self-expression and prevents the development of one's natural powers and capacities. Others acquire the lack of self-confidence consciousness and are enslaved by the delusion that everybody else is more efficient than they, and that their own ability is someway greatly inferior. This is a very common dominant and seldom has any real foundation in fact.

Few of us even faintly realize what we might accomplish if we would develop enough self-confidence to try. Every now and then we are astonished at our own ability when circumstances force us into some position where we have to make good or go under.

Indeed, the phrase, "Sweet are the uses of adversity," is more than a pretty thought; it is the profound psychological truth. Over and over again in our lives it is adversity which has befriended us and forced us into new channels of self-expression, forced us to depend upon our own "untried capacity" when, except for grim necessity we would have curled up and remained inactive, or circled in a little circumscribed orbit bounded by petty fears and self-distrust.

So if you would change your life for the better, take a brief survey of the few doninant ideas that rule you. You will find that some of these ideas are enslaving you. Get rid if them and substitute more constructive and far-reaching ideas and cling to them until your consciousness has been re-educated.

It is not well to be a slave; even to a good dominant. We need to cultivate encourage and develope the power of adjustment, for that is what life really is. If we encourage in ourselves the ability to adjust to environment, if we go forth with a positive attitude to faith in Life and with self confidence, we shall learn to meet and overcome difficulties, we shall learn to live instead of merely existing in a negative, half-hearted way.—William E. Towne in September Nautilus.

WILL THE DISTRICT FOREGO SUNDAY JOY RIDING?

Judging by the manner in which almost every city and town of any size has fallen in with the idea of doing away with joy riding on Sundays in order to conserve gasoline, the motorist is not such selfish creature as some people would have us suppose. The saving being brought about is going to be enormous. Reports tell us that in Ontario along over $75,000 worth of gasoline was saved in Ontario last Sunday.

This being the case it is up to our district, which has never been far behind in anything of a patriotic nature to fall in line. The gasoline need saving; it is up to us to save it. We have become familiar with the idea of saving a loaf of bread in order that someone in Europe might have it, so let us alter it a little and say that if we save a gallon of gasoline here at home it is used by an airman, a transport or ambulance, or despatch rider on the battle front. We would willingly give a little gasoline to the man whom we met on the road if his car was dry; why not hand it over with equal good feeling to the man on the western front? The men in the aeroplanes are the eyes of the army; suppose that the present advance had to be held up because you and others like you insisted on motoring on Sunday. The Kaiser would be tickled to death. Let us do our best, it will mean much.

LICKING CREATION

Oh why! Oh why must the braggart roar!
Oh why must the Kaiser scream,
Oh why must the braggart ever soar
In the madman's brazen dream?
Of a whipped creation 'neath his feet
Whipped by himself and his fools howl bleat,
Whipped to nothing, whipped to hell
Whipped till the Kaiser sours pell mell,
Whipped creation, whipped it all.
Licking the great, licking the small,
Whipping the brutes, whipping mankind,
Whipping creation in his mind.
Slashing his whip as his victims scream,
Slashing his whip as the sunbeams gleam,
Whipping them quick, whipping them smart,
Proud, oh proud, is the Kaiser's heart
As he whips the earth and whips the skies,
And whips creation to groans and sighs.
Proud Kaiser, lick oh lick the moon.
Go lick high heaven, you crazy loon;
Go lick yourself, you must, you must;
You must lick something, else you'll bust!
Oh why! oh why must the braggart roar!
Oh why must the Kaiser scream,
Oh why must the braggart ever soar
In a madman's brazen dream?
But 'fore you start to lick, my lad,
Pray don't forget that you're in bad
That 'yond your dreamland, after all,
Our old creation's not so small.
That powers there be both old and new
To whip the stuffing out of you,
E'en though your braggart scream and screech,
E'en though your glory lies in speech,
E'en though your writers write the rot
Of things you have and have not got
Opine my frenzied German friend,
Opine it well unto the end
That all creation n'er can be licked
That Germans can and shall be kicked
By some wee power that knows the way
To fight as Belgium fights today.
That German boast and German gall
Counts for little, if it counts at all,
With Yankeehosts, with England's guns,
With Russia, France, e'en Austro-Huns,
With Italy, with Spain and Greece,
So quit your screaming, hold your peace.
Forget, old "Will" forget it all,
Creation's not so awful small;
And remember, Bill, remember well,
That we small nations fight like hell
So curb your dream-howl, else may be
Some day no Kaiser land there'll be.
Oh why! oh why must the braggart roar!
Oh why must the Kaiser scream,
Oh why must the bragart ever soar
In a madman's brazen dream?

Conserve the gasoline and go to church.

The rumor that the kaiser is insane merely confirms previous suspicions.

Several United States newspapers are protesting to President Wilson against permitting representatives of neutral countries to accompany the American forces in order to observe the operations on the Western front. Naturally enough they suspect that some of these neutral nations are not by any means as neutral as they should be. They argue that any nation that is not at war at present is not likely to fight in a good cause at any time and the less they know about how to carry on a war the better for the world.

Kissing through a handkerchief has been recommended by the New York Board of Health. It may be alright but sounds as if it might be something like washing your hands with your gloves on.

It has just been revealed that Germany planned to start the war some weeks before she actually brought it to pass. Incidentally she also planned to have it over and won weeks before it really will be over.

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NOW, the only way we can possibly live up to that obligation is by going without in order that our soldiers may have. For the money we waste is not money at all—it is equipment, clothing, shot and shell that are urgently needed in France.
By denying ourselves, therefore, we enable Canada to procure to the fullest extent the materials and labor which she and our Allies need for the successful prosecution of the war.
What happens when we fail to save?
A pull on labor by the Government in one direction and a pull on labor by the people in the opposite direction. Hundreds of millions of dollars are of no use to the country if goods and services can be secured only to the extent of eighty millions of dollars. So we must do everything in our power to release both goods and labor for the purposes for which Canada needs them.

WHETHER it be food, coal, wool, steel, leather, labor or transportation, the result in all cases is the same. Whoever competes with the nation by freely satisfying his own desires, selfishly appropriates to his own use that which is so urgently required for our fighting men in France.

For the sake of your country and the boys "over there," spend cautiously. Think of what Lord Kitchener has said, and ask yourself first, "Is this something I really need or can I do without it?"

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HARVESTING AND STORING CERTAIN VEGETABLES

While vegetables have been harvested continuously in many gardens in Canada since radishes and spinach were ready for use in early spring the time has come when the bulk of the crop must be gathered to escape hard frosts.

As beans discolour and mould very readily, it is important to dry them as soon as possible, and to keep them dry. They should be spread out thinly under cover, and turned every two or three days until quite dry. If it is necessary to harvest the plants before they are thoroughly ripe they can be hung up outside until dry.

There will be many potatoes which will not ripen before the plants are killed by the frost. If the fully-grown green specimens are picked before being frozen, and each specimen wrapped in paper and stored in closed boxes they will be found, from tests made at the Experimental Farm, to ripen better than by exposing them to the sun Even if put into closed boxes without wrapping each specimen, they ripen well.

Frequently cauliflowers are just beginning to head when it becomes necessary to harvest them owing to severe frosts. If the plants are pulled and replaced in boxes in the cellar and kept watered, they will go on developing and one can have cauliflower for some weeks. Brussels sprouts can also be replanted in this way. Both of these vegetables may, however, be left in the ground for some weeks yet.

If cabbage begin to split and it is not yet time to harvest them, the splitting will be prevented to some extent by twisting the plants so as to loosen them. This checks the flow of sap into the head. If the cellar is warm and dry, and the cabbage have to be harvested owing to the frost, they will keep well for a time outside if covered with leaves.

Where the accomodation is poor, celery may be kept outside in the soil well into the winter by opening a trench, preferably a narrow one 15 to 16 inches wide, and deep enough so that the tops of the celery will come about level with the surface of the ground. The celery plants are put close together in it, and before there are severe frosts, a thin layer of straw or leaves is put over the top. When the cold weather comes a heavier covering of leaves may be put over, if it is desirable to leave the celery longer, and then twelve to fifteen inches of soil over that. By putting sufficient leaves or straw over the soil again, frost may be kept out, and the celery dug out as required.

In harvesting potatoes, any which show signs to decay should be kept separate from the rest, and used first, thus helping to avoid the development of rot when stored. Potatoes should be dry when they are stored.

Keep onions dry, spread thinly. Squashes, pumpkins and citrons should be kept in a moderately warm, not a cool, place.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir:

As there seems to be some misapprehension in regard to my action re Chicken By-Law, I should like to say through your columns, that I was animated by none other than a public spirit, and for my neighbors to suffer coercion to usurp their freedom and rights is nothing short of a travesty of the truth, these gentlemen notorious for their pratings, of government of the people, for the people, by the people, refused to obey the laws made by the people, was bunkum ever more pronounced, No Sir, the whole sum and substance of the matter, I refused to have my garden ravaged, when as a matter of fact, both as regards to horses and chickens, a provincial law exists to protect the residents of Vulcan, upon receipt of the warning two of my neighbors with the most glaring effrontry subjected me to a suffragets harrangue respecting their rights as if nobody had rights but them, permit me in conclusion to pay a tribute to the courtesy I received at the hands of the council who sit from time to time doing their best for the town with no reward but satiric abuse as far as I can see, it should surely appeal to all well disposed persons to obey their laws and not openly flout and break them.

I have the honor to be,

Yours respectfully,

Geo. Staples.

Although the supply of crude oil is said to be falling off in some parts of the United States, the crude oil game isstill a flourishing industry in some parts.

..Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance, announces that he has arranged with the British authorities to purchase this year's salmon pack of British Columbia. The amount of money required will be $8,000,000 or $9,000,000 which will be furnished by the Dominion government out of the proceeds of the Victory Loan.

MACLEOD OBJECTS TO MENNONITE ARRIVALS

The first public demonstration against the Mennonites coming from the United States and settling in the west was held at Macleod on Friday evening. The hall was packed to over flowing. Mayor Grier was in the chair and was supported by the president of the Returned Veterans Association, pastors and officers of the Next-of-Kin Association. The mayor in opening the meeting, emphatically denounced the coming of the Mennonites, or as he termed them, alien enemies, to this land. No protest could be strong enough to the government, he said, to prevent these people coming here. Our own boys were fighting and sacrificing their lives for his country and the Union Jack, while these men were coming into Canada, making the war profits, and yet living in peace and comfort and not doing a thing in either giving men or money to the war.

There were various other speakers who all strongly denounced the allowing of the Mennonites to this country.

FIRE AT BRANT

The people of Brant had an experience with fire on Wednesday last that caused much alarm inasmuch as the entire village was threatened. Fortunately the wind was favorable and only a livery stable and the Beaver Lumber Co. suffered loss. The fire originated in the annex of the livery stable which is conducted by Mr. Gus Holmes, and must have been started by someone who carelessly threw away a lighted cigarette or cigar. Mr. Holmes was not using that part of the stable and the supposition is that a member of a threshing outfit who left his work and refused to accept another job, had gone there to rest with the above results. The Beaver Lumber Co.'s yards contained a large stock of lumber, posts and hardware, was also destroyed. The fire brigades from Vulcan and Blackie were called to assist in fighting the flames and they rendered good service.

TWO GOOD JEW STORIES

A Jew enlisted. He was so good-looking and intelligent, the recruiting officer asked if he would not like to take a commission. He replied that as he had no idea how many Germans he would kill he would prefer a straight salary to a commission.

A French-Canadian and a Jew were passing Notre Dame Cathedral in Montreal. The former reverentially raised his hat and the latter did the same.

"You know what dat ees?" said the French-Canadian. "Dat ees de cateddral Notre Dame."

"O, excuse me," said the Jew, "I thought it was the Bank of Montreal."

FORCE OF HABIT

The telephone operator was spending her annual two weeks at a summer hotel in Muskoka. On the first morning she had reason to complain that she had not been called as she had directed. "Why didn't you call me early as I asked?" demanded the young lady. "I did," replied the proprietor with an injured air; I called out seven-thirty, and all you said was line busy.'

What would you say and do if you were placed in this man's position? Motoring to town one day a car driven by a woman ran into his car and, Oh, how sorry I am, ejaculated the woman what damage has been done the car.

"You have broken the axle, bent the fender and broken one of the wheels" replied the exasperated man.

"Oh! Really donchuno, I am so relieved, for I positively thought I might have punctpred a tire," replied the woman.

We refrain from publishing the man's reply.

Alberta babes are winners wherever they may be found. The Chicago papers dated last April announce the fact that at a baby contest in that city, Mrs. L. Stack, of Vulcan, who was visiting with friends at Chicago entered her seven months old girl baby in the contest and won first honors.

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VULCAN BRANCH: Canadian Red X Society

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A FAR REACHING QUESTION

Mr. George Hoadley, M.P.P. of Okotoks who spent several weeks in Ottawa placing data before the members of the Government with regards to the supplying of horseflesh to those of the Allied countries who have made use of this meat for human consumption should feel gratified at the results of his mission. At first the idea was scoffed at and ridiculed by men in authorityin Alberta who should have been able to grasp the significance of such a very important question. As the following letter from the Dominion Minister of Agriculture will show the matter is now being discussed seriously and the opinion of Allied countries asked as to what they will pay for this meat.

Dear Mr. Hoadley:

I have before me the Resolution passed by the joint meeting of the Directors of the Alberta Horse, Cattle, Sheep and Swine Breeders' Associations, re the advisability of the utilization as human food of numbers of the light horse at present more or less uselessly living on the plains of Alberta and Saskatchewan.

I have also here the letter written you by Mr. Walter Huckvale, President of the Western Stock Growers Association, which covered a copy of a letter written the Righ Honourable Sir George E. Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, by the Secretary of the said Association.

These, together with the representations made by yourself and what information I have been able to gather in other ways, make it quite evident to me that, if all practicable, some action leading to the utilization of a large portion of these horses mentioned for food purposes is highly advisable.

This Department is prepared to do what it can to facilitate progress along this line. It may be pointed out, however, that inasmuch as the people of Great Britain, the United States and of Canada do not eat horse meat and are in sentiment apparently rather opposed to the use of these animals for human food, it will be necessary for us to act with caution in this matter, if we find ourselves in a position to do anything to help it.

I am of the opinion that the slaughter of the small type of horses for food would be a decided advantage to the farmers of the West and since, as is well known, France, Belgium, Italy and other European countries use such meat it sems to me that this Department would be quite justified in doing whatever it could to facilitate the putting of this product on the European market. This, of course, is contingent upon our being able to extend such help without injuring our present meat trade with Great Britain.

As you know, Mr. Mills of the Allied Provisions Export Commission has promised to see if a market can be secured for this product in France, Italy and Belgium. As soon as we hear from him I shall make it a point to advise you further on our attitude in this matter.

Yours very truly,

F. A. C.

GASOLINE SUNDAYS SPREADING

The movement fo[illegible] conservation of gasoline by doin[illegible] with auto riding for pleasure [illegible]days is taking hold in all the la[illegible]entres of the province and will doubtless soon be recognised by the smaller towns and villages.

In the city of Calgary the garagemen have pledged themselves to refuse the sale of gasoline and parts and also repair service from 10 o'clock on Saturday nights until 7 a. m. on Mondays. The motorists of the city are doing all they can to help the move along. The city of Lethbridge is following the same idea with great success, the motoring in that city has fallen off appreciably during the past two Sundays.

In the cities of the east and eastern states, where there are well over a million automobiles in action on weekdays, hardly one of [illegible] seen on the streets on Sunda[illegible] some of the cities and towns [illegible] the eastern states any moto[illegible] shows his car on Sunday is gi[illegible]od hissing.

Dr. H. Mecklenburg, the well known eye-sight specialist of Edmonton, will be again in Vulcan on Tuesday, Oct. 8th. We strongly advise you to consult him if your eyes or glasses are troubling you.—Advt. 8-2p.

Hereafter High School students must be able to speak French before they pass the examinations in French. Somehow it appears like a sensible idea and the department of education is to be commended on the step.

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All entries to be made at the Grounds Booth before 11 o'clk.

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Barrel Race	15.00	10.00
Cowboy Race	15.00	10.00

In addition, there are first and second prize bridles, donated by G. C, Collier, Harnessmaker and J. M. Scobbie, Harnessmaker, Vulcan.

Wild Horse Race	30.00	15.00
Ladies Race	25.00	15.00

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ALL AMERICANS TO REGISTER NOW

According to instructions just received all Americans, whether married or single, between the ages of 19 and 44, must register in person at the American consulate in Calgary, or at one of the agencies in Lethbridge or Edmonton. All Americans between 21 and 31 have until September 28 to register, and all other Americans not included in the ages 21 to 31 have until September 30 to register at this consulate or at one of the consular agencies. All Americans within the specified ages not registered for United States military service on or prior to the dates specified, may become liable to the Canadian Military Service Act.

The evidence of the military registration of any citizen of the United States in Canada, whether registered before or after July 30, 1918, will be (1) his "registration certificate," or (2) his "notice of classification" or (3) his consular certificate. All Americans who have registered for military service in the United States must have this proof in order to be exempt from Canadian military service.

NOTE—Besides the registration for military service in the United States, all Americans between the ages specified, and irrespective of whether registered for the United States military service or not, must truly report to the Canadian registrar of his district by registered post in writing, giving full name, occupation, residence, post office address, date of birth, and whether single, married, or a widower, and number of children. Americans 21 to 31 have ten days after September 28 to report, or until October 8; all other Americans, 19 to 20 and 31 to 44, have from October 1 to 10 to report to the Canadian registrar.

SAMUEL C. REAT,
American Consul.

HELPING TO CARRY RIFLES

Besides making shells to be used in teaching lessons in international righteousness to the Hun, the French Government has missed no oportunity to preserve and increase the splendid morale at home and in the trenches. No one knows better than the French women her own worth as a moulder of that same morale, and as soon as the desire of the Government became known, French women set to work to study their weak ones, determined that heriosm and honour in France should increase through the support afforded by her women. The President of the "Union Fraçaise" issued a pamphlet which was sent throughout France asking wives, daughters and women to strengthen the faith and courage of their men when home on leave. At the very beginning it was decided to allow to those at the Front seven days' leave every four months, whenever possible.

The appeal read as follows: "Women of France! Our hearts beat with joy at the news that some among us will have your husband and sons home on a short leave, as the needs of the Army will permit. Again we shall see them face to face, clasp them to our hearts, show to the fathers how the little ones have grown, say the many things which cannot be written French women, we who are sisters in love of our country and in our duty to defend it, let us not forget that we are about to put to a severe test, that all the world will now be able to judge what is the quality of our souls, what the value of the spirit animating us. By the effect of this leave on our soldiers, the manner in which we receive them and, above all, the way in which we send them back to their duty, we shall show whether we are women worthy of France, or merely poor loving creatures without courage or noble ideals, unworthy to be wives and mothers of French soldiers.

"Our responsibility towards them is overwhelming for attitude of the women may be a decisive influence. Let us never forget that our inner thought reflects itself upon the face and in the speech, and that ignoble thought like noble emotion will find an echo in the hearts of our men. Remember that we have not the right to be feeble and that re-vivifying tenderness testifies to a far greater love than enervating tenderness—our soldiers will never mistake the difference. Any woman who at this hour destroys in a man the high sense of duty toward his country will be a criminal, since we are fighting not only for France, but for the principle of right and justice in the world, and this duty should be accepted not as a heavy charge but as an honour and a joy."

All Catholics in the Army or Navy of the United States, whether serving in America or abroad, are dispensed as long as they remain in military service from the obligation of abstaining from flesh meats on all Fridays, with the sole exception of Good Friday. Catholic nurses are also dispensed.

NEWS FROM BLACKIE

Peter Matheson, the High River electrician, has installed a Delco lighting plant for J. Schmidt, who will in turn supply light for L. L. McDonald's store and the Auditorium. We may add further that the hall will be illuminated with electricity on Friday evening at the next dance.

The Blackie Fire department made a hurried trip to Brant on Wednesday to assist in extinguishing the flames that threatened to burn the village. Fortunately the fire was confined to a livery stable and a hardware and lumber yard. Brant citizens appreciate the act.

Pte. Fay Stackhouse who left Blackie recently to report for duty and is now in Calgary hospital undergoing medical treatment.

The Hess farm sold several months ago to J. Anderson was resold last week to Carl Johnston, for the sum of $50 per acre. Land values are on the increase in the Blackie district. Mr. Stackhouse negotiated the deal.

Owing to a heavy increase of business Messrs. McDonald Bros. have had their store enlarged and otherwise improved and they are now prepared to fully meet the wants of the people of the Glenview, Dinton, Gladys, Mossleigh, Frankburg and Blackie district. They want your trade.

Walter Baker of Glenview district, marketed some of his wheat at the Farmers' Elevator on Saturday and in the opinion of grainmen he has produced about the very best sample of in the district, being No. 1 hard. There is some talk of sending some of the wheat grown in this district to be exhibited at the Soil Products Exhibition at Kansas City, Mo., on Oct. 16 to 26. The C.P.R. is offering a prize of a $500 silver cup for the best half bushel of wheat (hard spring) and that should come to some farmer in this district who will select a half bushel of wheat from his granary. Besides the cup, the securing of this prize will mean a great boost to the district. Will someone enter for this contest?

Joe Cassidy is having a snug home erected on his farm. With a fine new barn and a new home, Mr. Cassidy will have one of the best improved farms in the district.

"I would like to obey the scriptural injunction, 'take up thy bed and walk' but someone beat me to it, when they stole by bed while fishing west of High River," remarked F. A. Davidson recently.

As high as twenty bushels of wheat to the acre is being secured in the Glenview district by some farmers and of a quality that is mighty hard to beat.

Mr. R. L. Mason of Vancouver is visiting with his sister Mrs. Howard Gillanders at present.

The quality of oats this year is not like that of other years. This year there are many green grains and the weight per bushel measure ranges from 34 to 40 lbs.

"It's been one cussed thing or another, someone always takes the joy out of life" remarked one of our enthusiastic huntsman, "but I certainly would like to get the man who removed my camp bed from the side of the trail to the Lineham camp.

Some time ago three government men camped near Sec. 29-20-27-4, near Thos. Thomson's, and surveyed the section placing the usual mounds at each corner of the section and intimated that the section would be sold some time in October. Mr. Thomson informed them that he had the title to one quarter section, and John Thomson owned another quarter, and Thos. Nash the third quarter, but the surveyors evidently did not believe the statement and proceeded with their work. A demand was made for the title but this was not produced as Mr. Thomson was away at the time. There is one quarter of this school section that was sold some time ago to a man who did not keep up his payments and this is the only quarter section that will be sold, as a title is held for the other three. We believe the sale will be held some time in October. It will be interesting to see what the quarter will sell for at the present time.

There was considerable activity around the grain elevators the past week with farmers bringing in their grain. All state that while the quality of grain is excellent the average yield is disappointing.

Five proprietors of eating houses in Edmonton have recently been fined for violating the food alws. Evidently Ottawa is not so far away as it used to be.

According to the latest announcement of General March of the United States over 1,750,000 American soldiers have embarked for the various fronts.

It has been reported that the big Valcartier military camp will be closed down on Friday of this week. No details have been given out and it is not known what plans are being adopted by the militia department in regard to this or other camps.

. . Wrist Watches . .

Our stock of Ladies Wrist Watches contains many new designs. We have them in gold-filled and silver cases with leath-straps from $16.00 up, and solid gold ones, some as small as a ten cent piece, from $50.00 up.

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Deering binder, 8-ft.; Cockshutt sulky, 14-inch; McCormick mower; Moline wagon, 3½ in.; Wagon with rack; John Deere Gang Plow; Breaking plow; Set bob sleighs; Cockshutt drill, 18 single disc; Cockshutt disc harrow; 3 sets work harness; Set light harness; Magnet Cream separator; Shovels, forks chains, etc., etc.

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One 3-piece oak bed room set, 1¾ iron bed, 1 iron bed, 1 kitchen range, 1 heater, 1 table, chairs, 1 Karn Piano, nearly new

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The ladies of the Queenstown Women's Institute, inspired by a desire to help the cause of the soldier by doing something for the Red Cross, have published a cook book. All the receipts, gathered by themselves, are war receipts, designed to save and conserve the food, so the book serves the double purpose of helping the Red Cross and helping the food situation. The book is called the

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And can be obtained from any of the members of the members of the Institute or at the Advocate. Price $1.00.

WANT ADS

ESTRAYS

Phone Your Want Ads to the *Advocate*
PHONE NO. 36, Vulcan

ESTRAYS

ESTRAY—$20.00 reward will be paid to any one known of the whereabouts of 2 bay horses branded on left thigh [illegible] and on right hind leg [illegible] One sorrel horse branded AU on left thigh and ND on right shoulder. E. A. Elston, Ensign. 5-6p

ESTRAY—Horses branded on right shoulder [illegible] Reward for return. Notify R. Gervais, High River. tf.

ESTRAY—One on SE of 18-17-25-4 and one on NE of 16-17-25-4, two black geldings, branded on left shoulder [illegible] White spot on faces, wt. 1350. George Todd, Vulcan. 7-3c

BRAND CARD — The undersigned will thankfully any information regarding stock carrying the following brands,

Cattle

[illegible] on left hip [illegible] on left ribs

[illegible] on right hip

HORSES

[illegible] on left shoulder [illegible] on left thigh

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ESTRAY—1 Clyde mare, 4 years old, wt. about 1500, branded on left shoulder [illegible] 1 dark iron grey mare, 2 years old, no brand. Scar on one hind leg. Strayed from J. A. Smith's farm, west of Vulcan. Reward. Jlease notify Mr. J. A. Smith, Vulcan. 8-tf.

STRAYED—One red cow, 4 years old, may have white spot on forehead; may have calf at foot. Branded on right shoulder [illegible] Also DK on left rib. Reward for inforamtion. Geo. Leahy, Hearnleigh.

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FOR SALE—A few spans of work horses and mules, on terms. E. M. Hollister, Vulcan. 5-tf.

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TO RENT—A good sized weather proof garage to rent. Apply to Mrs. Travis, Vulcan, Alberta. 7-3c.

WANTED

WANTED—Good general servant. Apply Mrs. Arthur Mitchell.

WANTED—Girl or middle aged woman to tend store. Phone R815, Eastway. 8-3

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WILL DISCUSS SCHOOL FIELD DAY AND FAIR

Mr. J. E. Davis, principal of the Vulcan school, has sent out invitations to all the teachers in the vicinity, asking them to attend a meeting to be held at the I.O.O.F. hall, Vulcan at half past two o'clock on Saturday of this week. The meeting is for the purpose of considering the holding of a Field Day and School Fair which will embrace the schools all over the district.

The idea is that the day shall be one of competition between the various schools in sports and work.

The London Times declares that "the inhuman outrages committed by Germans in Europe are insignificant as compared with the savage abominations which were the foundations of German rule in Africa." Readers of the Bryce and other reports will be startled by such a statement, but it is fully borne out by the cabled summary of the findings of the administrator of the territory captured from the enemy To hand over the natives to such control after the war would be an act of for the aborigines should overrule any that we may have for Germany.

Householders in Vulcan who have no cow of their own have been up against it ever since Mr. Gardner stopped delivering milk. The situation, however, is to be relieved as Mr. J. H. Cook informs us that he will shortly take up the sale of milk in the village.

STAMPEDE DAY

October 2nd.

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Get your applications mailed within three days after the date of damage.
R. E. HOUSE,
47-tf. Secretary-Treasurer.

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